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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Attn: BOX AF**

Toshiharu HAYASHI et al. : **Confirmation No. 7018**

Serial No. 09/987,385 : Docket No. 2001_1697A

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Examiner M. Ruthkosky

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
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Sir:

Responsive to the Advisory Action dated March 29, 2004 and to the final Office Action dated December 8, 2003, the period for response to which having been extended by one month to April 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.